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**NORTHERN NH TRANSPORTATION PROJECT TOUR**  
**COMMISSIONER CAROL MURRAY AND EXECUTIVE COUNCILOR**  
**RAYMOND BURTON PLAN STOPS AT ROAD AND BRIDGE PROJECTS**

NHDOT Commissioner Carol Murray and District One Executive Councilor Raymond Burton will embark on a daylong tour of transportation projects on Thursday, August 15, 2002.

This year's tour will include stops in Littleton, Bethlehem, Lincoln, Haverhill, Orford, Canaan, Enfield and Springfield. It will include two separate bridge projects over the Connecticut River and a visit to the nearly completed new Springfield Welcome Center on Interstate 89.

All interested citizens and public officials are invited to meet with Commissioner Murray and Councilor Burton at any point along the tour to discuss transportation projects and issues.

The tour schedule for August 15 is as follows:

<b>7:30 am</b>	<b>Littleton</b> - Breakfast - <i>Topic of the Town</i> Restaurant
<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Littleton-Bethlehem</b> - Pavement rehabilitation on 3.8 miles of NH Route 116.
<b>10:00 am</b>	<b>Lincoln</b> - Rehabilitation of U.S. Route 3 bridge over Harvard Brook.
<b>10:45 am</b>	<b>Lincoln</b> - NH 112 - Shoulder widening and paving from Pollard Brook east to East Branch of Pemigewasset River.
<b>12:00 pm</b>	<b>Haverhill, NH - Newbury, VT</b> - Rehabilitation of US Route 302 bridge over the Connecticut River.
<b>12:30 pm</b>	<b>Haverhill</b> - Lunch - <i>The Barge Inn</i> Restaurant
<b>2:00 pm</b>	<b>Orford, NH - Fairlee, VT</b> - Rehabilitation of NH Route 25A bridge over the Connecticut River.
<b>3:15 pm</b>	<b>Canaan</b> - Bridge replacement on Mill Hill Road over the Mascoma River.
<b>3:45 pm</b>	<b>Enfield</b> - Bridge replacement on Shaker Hill Road over the Mascoma River.
<b>4:45 pm</b>	<b>Springfield</b> - New Springfield Welcome Center Building on I-89.